

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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 Applicant(s): Jacob Richter et al. Group Art Unit: 3773  
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For: **LONGITUDINALLY FLEXIBLE STENT**

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))**

Mail Stop: Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing a Response to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 1, 2008.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
  - ☒ is filed herewith.
  - ☐ was been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.
4.
 

	Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$130.00	\$65.00
b. <input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$490.00	\$245.00
c. <input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$1110.00	\$555.00
d. <input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1730.00	\$865.00
e. <input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$2350.00	\$1175.00

- f. ☐ An extension for months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ ), minus the fee previously paid (\$ ) equals \$ (total fee due).
5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$ to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 50-4387, Order No. 92077.003us3.
7. ☒ The Commission is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4387, Order No. 92077.003us3.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: February 2, 2009

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